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Seiji OKA et al.

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METHOD THEREOF

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Korean Patent Publication No. 1999-020737 appears to disclose a discharge airflow controlling method for an air conditioner.

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Prompt examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

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